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[Reports to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

Summary of work in Chinatown, San Francisco, for the week ended July 2, 1904.

The following is received from Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue, under date of July 4:

Week ended July 2.

Buildings reinspected	250
Rooms	1,880
Persons inspected	2,801
Sick	15
Sick prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary	18
Dead examined	5
Necropsies	1
Rats examined bacteriologically	122
Number showing pest infection.	0
Places limed and disinfected	642
Times streets swept	3
Sewers flushed	18
Blocks covered with Danyz virus	10
No plumbing report.	

Transactions on account of smallpox in northern Maine, Canadian border.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Boothby, at Lowelltown, reports, as follows:

Sanitary work at Lowelltown, Me., week ended June 13, 1904:

Number of persons, 45; sanitary condition, good; condition of baggage, good; from Province of Quebec, Canada; destination, Maine; passed, 45; vaccinated, 7.

Weekly report of sanitary work in Madawaska region.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Hammond reports as follows:

Week ended June 25, 1904. Number of cases smallpox under supervision, 18; of these, previously reported, none; new cases, 18; houses under quarantine, 16; persons vaccinated, none; miles of territory covered, 220.

Transactions on account of yellow fever at Laredo, Tex.

Antimosquito work at Alice.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Frick reports, through Passed Assistant Surgeon Richardson, as follows:

ALICE, TEX., June 23, 1904.

The situation at this point is unchanged, the rains continuing to interfere with the work of fumigation.

June 24, 1904.

June 20, 1904, fumigated 34 houses, containing 102 rooms; June 21, 1904, fumigated 3 houses, containing 13 rooms; June 22, 1904, inspected 1 well, 70 barrels, of which 64 were screened; oiled 1 barrel, 2 ponds; June 23, 1904, inspected 16 wells, 20 cisterns, 175 barrels, of which 8 cisterns were covered and 7 oiled; 142 barrels were screened and 25 emptied and cleaned.